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In re Application of  
Gary Dean LaVon, et al.  
Application No. 08/828,005  
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**ON PETITION**

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed June 4, 2001, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is GRANTED.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed March 2, 2001, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of one (1) month or thirty (30) days (whichever is later). One(1) month extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on May 3, 2001.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Cheryl Baylor at (703)308-5111, or in her absence, Marianne Morgan at (703)306-3475.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 3700.

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